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Cleaning and/or Inspecting Robot for Hazardous

Environments Including Catalyst Removal

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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE

This is in response to the Official Action dated August 2, 2006 in aboveidentified application. It is noted that January 2, 2007 being proclaimed as a "National Day of Mourning" was considered by the USPTO as a "Federal Holiday within the District of Columbia".

Changes to the Specification are reflected in the two replacement paragraphs beginning on page 2 and ending on page 3 of this paper.

Changes in the Drawing Figures appear in the Replacement Sheets.

Changes to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 4 and ending on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

Enclosures include a transmittal letter/form PTO-SB-21 (including a certificate of mailing); replacement drawing sheets, a petition for extension of time along with a check for the associated fee, and a self-stamped return receipt postcard.

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